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Sir:

Applicants hereby submit this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§§1.56, 1.97, and 1.98. As this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before issuance of the first Office Action, no fee is due. The documents enclosed are listed on the attached Form PTO-1449.

<u>Patent No.</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Date of Patent</u>
5,177,511	Feuerstein, et al.	January 5, 1993
DE 42 22 395 A1	AMTech	January 13, 1994

Inasmuch as the patent to AMTech is in German, applicants submit the following explanation of the German patent.

German patent DE 42 22 395 A1, to AMTech, relates to a device and process for measuring eye refraction in which light emitted from a light source is focused on the retina of the

eye by using a variable projection lens with adjustable refractive power. The wavefront of the light reflected by the retina is measured by a Hartmann-Shack sensor. The variable projection lens projects the pupil of the eye onto the lens array of the Hartmann-Shack sensor.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to consider the attached information during the examination of this application. The citation of the documents identified herein should not be construed as a representation by the applicants or their attorneys that the information disclosed in such documents is considered to be material to this application or that a person skilled in the art would consider such information material to the examination of this application. No certification is made as to the accuracy of any translation included herewith.

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